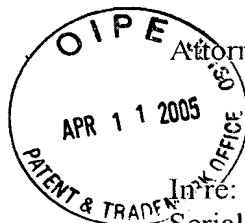


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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of March 14, 2005, Applicants hereby elect **Invention II** which is drawn to Claims 1-22. In response to the Election Requirement, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Species I corresponding to Claims 1-9, 12-17 and 20-22. However, as discussed herein, Applicants respectfully submit that numerous claims comprise generic claims and thus all of Claims 1-22 should be prosecuted on the merits at this time.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for net addition of claims-are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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